2016, with the amendments to the Senate amendment specified in section 3 of H. Res. 566, was taken from the Speaker's Table. Pages H9390–H9433, H9434–H9676, H9693–H10160, H10161–H10471/H10692

Representative Brady (TX) moved that the House concur in the Senate amendment to H.R. 2029 with the amendments specified in section 3 of H. Res. 566.

Pages H9399–H9423

Pursuant to the Rule, the question was divided among the two House amendments, and the portion of the divided question comprising the amendment specified in section 3(b) of H. Res. 566 was considered first. Subsequently, the first portion of the divided question was agreed to by a yea-and-nay vote of 318 yeas to 109 nays, Roll No. 703.

Pages H9423-33

Consideration began on the second portion of the divided question, comprising the amendment specified in section 3(a) of H. Res. 566. Further proceedings were postponed until tomorrow, December 18th.

Pages H9660-76

H. Res. 566, the rule providing for consideration of the Senate amendment to the bill (H.R. 2029) was agreed to by a recorded vote of 240 ayes to 185 noes, Roll No. 702, after the previous question was ordered by a yea-and-nay vote of 244 yeas to 177 nays, Roll No. 701.

Pages H9379-90

Higher Education Extension Act of 2015: The House agreed to take from the Speaker's table and concur in the Senate amendment to H.R. 3594, to extend temporarily the Federal Perkins Loan program.

Page H9676

Senate Message: Message received from the Senate today appears on page H9390.

Senate Referral: S. 1616 was referred to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.

Page H9689

Quorum Calls—Votes: Two yea-and-nay votes and two recorded votes developed during the proceedings of today and appear on pages H9388–89, H9389–90, H9432–33, and H9433–34. There were no quorum calls.

Adjournment: The House met at 9 a.m. and adjourned at 4:50 p.m.

Committee Meetings

TERRORIST TRAVEL: VETTING FOR NATIONAL SECURITY CONCERNS

Committee on Oversight and Government Reform: Full Committee held a hearing entitled "Terrorist Travel: Vetting for National Security Concerns". Testimony was heard from Anne C. Richard, Assistant Secretary, Bureau of Population, Refugees, and Migration, Department of State; Michele Thoren Bond, Assistant Secretary, Bureau of Consular Affairs, Department of State; Alan Bersin, Assistant Secretary for International Affairs, Chief Officer for the Office of Policy, Department of Homeland Security; and Leon Rodriguez, Director, U.S. Citizenship and Immigration Services, Department of Homeland Security.

Joint Meetings

No joint committee meetings were held.

NEW PUBLIC LAWS

(For last listing of Public Laws, see DAILY DIGEST, p. D1322)

H.J. Res. 78, making further continuing appropriations for fiscal year 2016. Signed on December 16, 2015. (Public Law 114–100)

COMMITTEE MEETINGS FOR FRIDAY, DECEMBER 18, 2015

(Committee meetings are open unless otherwise indicated)

Senate

No meetings/hearings scheduled.

House

No hearings are scheduled.

Next Meeting of the SENATE 9:30 a.m., Friday, December 18 Next Meeting of the HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES 9 a.m., Friday, December 18

Senate Chamber

Program for Friday: Senate will be in a period of morning business.

House Chamber

Program for Friday: Complete consideration of the House amendments to the Senate amendment to H.R. 2029—Consolidated Appropriations Act, 2016.

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